

## PERSONAL AND LOCAL

Hastings potatoes at Van's Grocery. Just arrived new Georgia Syrup at Van's Grocery.

H. K. Bentel, of Stuart, was a visitor in Fort Pierce, Tuesday.

Bananas, grapefruit, Oranges, Pineapples and Grapes at Vans' Grocery.

Paul Kroegel, of Sebastian, one of the County Commissioners, was a visitor in town Wednesday.

There will be lay service in St. Andrews Episcopal church next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

M. C. Kramer, who has spent several months at McMinnville, Tenn., has returned to Fort Pierce.

Col. H. D. Ruffner, who has spent several months Charleston, W. Va., has returned to his home at Roseland.

W. L. Adams, of Westport, Ct., is on his first visit to Fort Pierce, introducing his new fertilizer for pineapples.

Among the recent guests at the Atlantic Hotel were Mr. and Mrs. Fredrickson and family and J. H. Baker, of Jensen.

Quick sales, small profits every thing first class. Give us a trial, we will treat you right at VanLandingham and Sons Grocery.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Coon and daughter, of Jensen, are in the city. Mr. Coon is looking after his extensive grapefruit purchases here.

J. J. Tiele, of Holland, was in town for several days looking at pineapple land with a view of locating here, and is much impressed with this section.

Miss Lillie Kennedy, head clerk in the "Big Store on the Corner," after a visit of two months in the Carolinas, returned to Fort Pierce Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Saeger and A. E. Saeger, of Ankona, were recent visitors to our city, as were also Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Ricou, of Jensen, and F. G. Mullen and C. A. Robinson, of Eden.

A party of eight young ladies from West Virginia, under the escort of R. Koblegard, took dinner at the Stetson Hotel Wednesday. They were on their way to St. Lucie, where they will spend the winter season.

The Jensen Board of Trade, that embracing organization in St. Lucie county's southern metropolis, is taking steps to secure the appearance of A. S. Hann, the good roads advocate, at a series of lectures in St. Lucie county before the bonding election.

"That Disciple Whom Jesus Loved" the interesting subject of Rev. Geo. Smith's sermon Sunday morning at 11 o'clock at Eden Congregational Church. Persons especially invited to this service. Rev. Marsh will also preach at seven in the evening at 7; subject will be "Saved, Satisfied and Serving." Everybody welcome.

O. O. Poppleton, of Stuart, the bee keeper of the East Coast, if not of all Florida, passed through Fort Pierce Friday on his return from a visit to the Alaskan-Yukon exposition at Seattle. While away Mr. Poppleton visited his daughters, Mrs. Pearl Babcock, at New Hampton, Iowa, and Mrs. F. Hatch, at Edmonds, Wash., the latter a former resident of Eau Gallie.

Mrs. R. Whyte is in receipt of the intelligence of the death of her son, Mrs. Laurence Benkert, (nee Ertz) of Detroit, Mich., which occurred Wednesday of last week. Before her husband, deceased leaves a son, three years of age and a daughter but two weeks old. Many in Fort Pierce will remember Miss Ertz as a guest of Mrs. Whyte five winters ago, and extend sympathy in her early and untimely death.

Sixteen ladies of Fort Pierce met at the home of Mrs. F. L. Hemmings Sunday afternoon and organized what they have called, the "As-You-Like-it" club. It is the purpose of the organization to give its members entertainment each first and third Friday evenings, at the home of the members, in alphabetical order; and occasionally they will condescend to invite their husbands and sweethearts at the evening affair.

Rev. C. L. Work, the Presbyterian minister from Cincinnati, who has recently joined the Florida Presbytery, and is engaged as evangelical pastor, will hold services in the Improvement club hall next Sunday morning and evening. Dr. Work has kindly granted the use of the Methodist church to the Presbyterian congregation for next week, and Rev. Work will hold services therein each Sunday during the week. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend these services, especially the men and boys, whom Dr. Work especially appeals.

New line of fireworks just in at Van's Grocery.

California dried fruits just in at VanLandingham's Grocery.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Ricou, of Jensen, were visitors in Fort Pierce, Tuesday.

C. H. Munch and C. H. Racey, of Jensen, were recent guests at Spring Cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Hibbards have gone to Palm Beach, where they expect to spend the winter.

Place your order now for a fruit cake for Thanksgiving and Christmas at VanLandingham's Grocery.

C. M. Corbett has returned to Fort Pierce, after spending several months at Bunnels and New Smyrna.

H. C. Berry, of Baltimore, was in this city last Friday on his annual visit to his customers in the millinery line.

John Gibson has returned to his position in P. P. Cobb's store, after a visit of several weeks with relatives at Fort Meade.

Are you in need of any tram rails, ties, fence posts or lumber for packing houses, if so let me furnish you. J. A. Franklin, Fort Pierce.

There is no law against anyone hunting for Plank's Chill Tonic. Guaranteed to cure chills and fever and malaria. 25 and 50. Ask your druggist.

The Bracca and Philathea classes meet every Friday evening at 7:30 in the Baptist church. The members and all interested are requested to be present.

Alfred S. Cleveland is now filling the position of assistant postmaster, vice W. E. Tedder, resigned, to assume management of the Tedder & Tedder grocery store.

J. M. Orrel and family left White City last Friday for Waycross, Ga., where Mr. Orrel has established the Waycross Fruit and Produce Co., a commission house.

Mrs. A. D. Penney and daughter, Miss Laura, returned Wednesday evening from Titusville, where they attended the wedding of Miss Daisy Brady to Rev. Rowan, of Camden, S. C., Tuesday at high noon.

The following complimentary letter is much appreciated: "Time serving and appeals to passion have often won in the past. Your success as a journalist is quite the reverse. You have stood squarely for principals. I congratulate you on the prospect for a new home for THE TRIBUNE and your family—it is well deserved. (Dr.) Geo. W. Holmes, Sharpes, Fla."

Mrs. Emily Moore Fleming and daughters, Misses May and Roberta; and nieces, the Misses Mary, Florrie and Catherine Moore; and Miss Catherine Russel, of Fairmount, W. Va., have arrived at St. Lucie to spend the winter. They are now occupying the G. M. Fleming residence, pending the completion of the remodeling of the Coon residence, purchased by Mrs. Fleming last spring.

There will be a meeting of the Ladies' School Improvement Association held at the school house, Friday, Nov. 19th, at 3 p. m. The object of this Association is to help to raise money to build a new school house and to give aid to any educational purposes. All who are interested in the St. Lucie County High School, especially patrons of the school are urged to be present. Not only ladies but gentlemen also. Elma Geiger, Secretary.

Mrs. Orpha D. Bruce, of Tampa, Grand Matron of the Order of the Eastern Star of Florida, will arrive in Fort Pierce today, and will be tendered a reception this evening at the residence of Mrs. A. C. Dittmar, to which all members of the order are cordially invited. A special meeting of the Eastern Star is called to meet in the lodge room tomorrow (Saturday) evening, at which time the Grand Matron will pay her official visit.

Hunting and fishing have been the main sports of our people the past week. Fishing in Ten-Mile creek has been especially good, some returning with strings with as many as 180, while all had sport to their heart's content. Many have been in the woods in quest of deer, turkeys and quail, and it would be impossible to correctly chronicle the luck that each party has met. A party from St. Augustine, headed by A. G. Wakely, superintendent of the Florida East Coast railway, after a few days hunting returned with five deer, many turkeys and quail; C. C. Boykin, C. C. Feigel and A. N. Hoofnagle have each secured two deer, and N. J. Trowell, Frank Storman and several others have secured one each, besides other game.

## Santa Claus is Coming Anyhow!

By special arrangement with our old friend

## The Big Store on the Corner

will open the largest, personally selected

## Stock of Toys and Christmas Goods

suitable for young and old, ever shown in Fort Pierce. Nine Cases now on the way and much more to follow. Bought direct from the importers and will be offered at

.... Hard Times Prices ....

You need not disappoint the little children. Our immense stock is being priced all through to meet the unusual financial conditions, and extraordinary bargains are at your disposal in all our lines. Do not send away for goods without looking us over.

Come in and look us over.

Phone 14

W. J. Nesbitt

## HUNTING SEASON SUPPLIES

SHOT GUNS Hammer and Hammerless  
Single and Double Barrel

LOADED SHELLS Black and Smokeless Powder  
Drop and Buck Shot

Hunting Coats and Leggings  
Fishing Tackle

FEE & STEWART CO.

F. H. FEE, President  
A. C. DITTMAR, Vice Pres.

INCORPORATED 1893

C. M. HORTON, Cashier  
T. C. NICHOLSON, Asst. Cash.

The Bank of Fort Pierce  
Fort Pierce, Florida

Capital, Surplus and Profits ..... \$ 39,000.00  
Total Assets ..... \$300,000.00

This bank has received the patronage of the people of St. Lucie, Brevard and Dade Counties to a very gratifying degree. Its banking facilities are entirely adequate to the needs of this section, and it offers its depositors the security afforded by ample capital and surplus and safe and conservative management. Its officers and directors are men of experience who have long been identified with the interests of this county, and whose interests are your interests.

We respectfully solicit your account, be it large or small, and all business entrusted to us will receive our most careful and courteous attention.

Interest Paid on Time Deposits.

Drafts Issued on Foreign Countries.

Domestic Money Orders Sold at Low Rates

Directors: F. H. FEE, A. C. DITTMAR  
P. P. COBB, H. G. BRONSON  
C. M. HORTON

## Getting Ready for Christmas Holidays

We are preparing for the Christmas Holidays already. It may be a little early for you to do any Christmas gift buying, but it's not too early in the season for us to remind you that we are getting ready with the biggest and best stock of

..... Holiday Gift Goods .....

ever shown in Fort Pierce.

We will not show any of our goods in open display until Dec. 1st. So we remind you that, as usual, we will be prepared with the goods. Our stock this year will be, as usual, very complete in all the following lines:

Perfumes, in bulk and bottles,  
Brush and Comb Sets,  
Games, Albums, Books,  
Jewelry Boxes,

Toilet and Manicure Sets,  
Children's Picture Books,  
Fountain Pens, Leather Goods,  
Novelties, Etc. Etc.

Wait for our Opening, December 1st.

St. Lucie Drug Company The Rexall Store